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Date: July 10, 2003

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PATENT
Docket No. GC369-2A-US

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| In re Application of |) | |
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| Diaz-Torres, Maria et al. |) | Group Art: 1652 |
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| Serial No.: 09/308,207 |) | Examiner: M. Walicka |
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| Filed: May 13, 1999 |) | |
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| For: Method for Recombinant |) | |
| Production of 1,3-Propanediol |) | |

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The following extension of time is requested to respond to the Office Action
dated January 10, 2003:

one month to _____; the extension fee is \$110.00.
two months to _____; the extension fee is \$410.00.
three months to July 10, 2003; the extension fee is \$930.00.
four months to _____; the extension fee is \$1,450.00.
five months to _____; the extension fee is \$1,970.00.

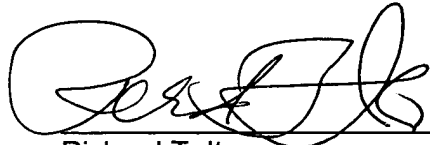
The extended time for response does not exceed the statutory period.

☐ The shortened statutory period has been reset by an Advisory Action
dated _____.

☒ Charge \$930.00 to Deposit Account No. 07-1048.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-1048 (Docket No. GC369-2A-US). A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Richard T. Ito', written over a horizontal line.

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Date: July 10, 2003

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